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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Present Application:

Applicant : Jason B. Elledge
Attorney Docket No.: 500188.02
Filed : Concurrently herewith
Title : APPARATUS FOR IN-SITU OPTICAL ENDPOINTING ON WEBFORMAT
PLANARIZING MACHINES IN MECHANICAL PLANARIZATION OF
MICROELECTRONIC-DEVICE SUBSTRATE ASSEMBLIES AND
METHODS FOR MAKING AND USING SAME

Prior Application:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

Amend the specification by inserting a new section before the "Technical
Field" as follows:

-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

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This application is a divisional of pending United States Patent Application
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